



April 5, 2004

MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Application of Takashi AKASE

PRINTING METHOD, COMPUTER-READABLE MEDIUM, PRINTING APPARATUS,

PRINTING SYSTEM, AND PATTERN FOR CORRECTION

Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION

Our Ref. Q80941

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty-seven (27) sheets of the specification (Japanese Language) including the claims and abstract and eight (8) sheets of drawings. The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	12	- 20	=	x	\$18.00	=	\$.00
Independent claims	1	- 3	= -	X	\$86.00	=	\$.00
Base Fee			_	 			\$770.00

TOTAL FEE \$770.00

Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

Japan

2003-101852

April 4, 2003

Japan

2004-108825

April 1, 2004

The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on a Sunday, the filing of this application on Monday, April 05, 2004 is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority.

> Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC

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